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**From:** Nguyen, Thuy [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FD4C9A977D4493E948C607108A47C0E-THUY NGUYEN]  
**Sent:** 1/27/2021 2:52:10 PM  
**To:** Liang, Yan Ling [Liang.YanLing@epa.gov]; Qian, Yaorong [qian.yaorong@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Golden, Paul [Golden.Paul@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: Containers (Ordering only 2.5 gal containers today)

We initiated the analysis. You can put on "per request from BC" on the check list. I will initial it  
Thanks  
Thuy

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**From:** Liang, Yan Ling <Liang.YanLing@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 27, 2021 9:50 AM  
**To:** Nguyen, Thuy <Nguyen.Thuy@epa.gov>; Qian, Yaorong <qian.yaorong@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Golden, Paul <Golden.Paul@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Containers (Ordering only 2.5 gal containers today)

Thanks Thuy, do we also have an request for analysis?

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**From:** Nguyen, Thuy <Nguyen.Thuy@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 26, 2021 12:26 PM  
**To:** Qian, Yaorong <qian.yaorong@epa.gov>; Liang, Yan Ling <Liang.YanLing@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Golden, Paul <Golden.Paul@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Containers (Ordering only 2.5 gal containers today)

For the 2.5 gallon containers  
Thuy

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**From:** Karen Larson <klarson@clarke.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 17, 2020 6:51 PM  
**To:** Tham, Kan <Tham.Kan@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Charlton, Tom <Charlton.Tom@epa.gov>; Spencer Sauter <spencer.sauter@erg.com>; Andrea Schnitzer <Andrea.Schnitzer@erg.com>; Nguyen, Thuy <Nguyen.Thuy@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Containers (Ordering only 2.5 gal containers today)

Kan, Thuy and Spencer,

Please see attached order confirmation. Nevermind the "expected delivery date" notation, that is an auto-fill based on vendor lead times. These items are in stock and available to ship. I expect these will ship tomorrow and will provide tracking information as soon as I am alerted.

Thank you,  
Karen

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**From:** Tham, Kan <Tham.Kan@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 17, 2020 3:16 PM  
**To:** Karen Larson <klarson@clarke.com>  
**Cc:** Tham, Kan <Tham.Kan@epa.gov>; Charlton, Tom <Charlton.Tom@epa.gov>; Spencer Sauter <spencer.sauter@erg.com>; Andrea Schnitzer <Andrea.Schnitzer@erg.com>; Nguyen, Thuy <Nguyen.Thuy@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Containers (Ordering only 2.5 gal containers today)

Hi Karen,

For the first shipment of (2-2.5 gal empty containers and 2 caps), please ship the following items highlighted in yellow to Thuy Nguyen, Branch Chief at the Ft Meade Lab in Maryland. She would like to receive the shipment by either Dec 21 or Dec 22. Also, please send the invoice to Spencer Sauter at ERG, Inc. His contact information is listed below.

| Qty | Item    | Description             | Unit Cost | Total |
|-----|---------|-------------------------|-----------|-------|
| 2   | 11358-B | JUGS PLAIN 2.5 gal      | 2.01      | 4.02  |
| 2   | 40012   | CAPS (PELLETS/2x2.5GAL) | 0.29      | 0.58  |

Containers Ship to:

Thuy Nguyen  
Analytical Chemistry Branch  
USEPA/OPP/Biological and Economic Analysis Division (7503P)  
Environmental Science Center  
701 Mapes Road  
Ft Meade, Maryland 20755-5350

Invoice of this transaction to:

Spencer Sauter  
Andrea Schnitzer  
Easter Research Group, Inc.  
2300 Wilson Blvd., Ste 350  
Arlington, VA 22201  
Email: [andrea.schnitzer@erg.com](mailto:andrea.schnitzer@erg.com)  
Email: [Spencer.Sauter@erg.com](mailto:Spencer.Sauter@erg.com)

Please provide the tracking number of the shipment for the container to me. I will call you next week to place the rest of order for 30 gal and 55 gal plastic drums, when we have more information become available. Thank you.

Kan S. Tham  
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From: Karen Larson <[klarson@clarke.com](mailto:klarson@clarke.com)>  
Sent: Monday, December 14, 2020 1:51 PM  
To: Tham, Kan <[Tham.Kan@epa.gov](mailto:Tham.Kan@epa.gov)>  
Subject: Containers

Good afternoon, Kan

I'm sorry for the delay in reply. The team was in physical inventory last week so it took some time to get a reply on the individual drum costs & appropriate closures. Please see below.

| Qty   | Item    | Description                 | Unit Cost | Total  |
|---|---------|-----------------------------|-----------|--------|
| 2   | 11358-B | JUGS PLAIN 2.5 gal          | 2.01      | 4.02   |
| 2   | 40012   | CAPS (PELLETS/2x2.5GAL)     | 0.29      | 0.58   |
| 2   | 11134-C | HDPE PLASTIC DRUM, 30 GAL   | 55.82     | 111.64 |
| 2   | 11134-B | HDPE PLASTIC DRUM, 55 GAL   | 58.37     | 116.74 |
| 8   | 40011   | POLY CAPSEAL WHIT 2" RCP200 | 0.31      | 2.48   |
| Freight, Single pallet, 2-day delivery to Ft. Meade |         |                             |           | 393.45 |
| Total   |         |                             |           | 628.91 |

Please confirm if you'd like me to process the order for the containers, invoicing to ERG and shipping to Ft. Meade.

I have also confirmed that both the drums and jugs are "level 3 fluorinated HDPE", both processed by Inhance Technologies (<https://www.inhancetechnologies.com/brands-and-products/barrier-packaging>).

Thank you, and stay well,

Karen

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